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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Haruhiko MURATA, Kazuhisa SATO and Tomonori MATSUURA
WIRING BOARD
Assignee: **NGK SPARK PLUG CO., LTD.**
Our Ref. Q80543

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising forty-four (44) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, eight (8) sheets of drawings, a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>37</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>17</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$306.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>9</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>6</u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u>\$516.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$770.00</u>

TOTAL FILING FEE**\$1592.00**

Recordation of Assignment

\$40.00

TOTAL FEE**\$1632.00**

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1592.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2003-073767	March 18, 2003

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,
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